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Some of the Properties in the West that have Paid Big Dividends.

Success does not always crown the offorts of those who engage in mining. By the same deken neither do other pursuits of men prove universally prostable. Success and failure go hand on hand, no matter what may be one pursuit or calling. , Ball. if none were of the consugeous stamp that make successful ininers, and mining 'ven larges of all kinds were taboord as something to be shunned, as of a fakey or missile insestment, the result would be a staggation of business the world exfr. and universal min would ensue. A little thought and some enquiry among dry statistics will prove this section. Safflee p to say that a lead my mining journal recently gave a list of 161 dividend paying mimes, their combined capitalization being \$472, 80,125, supen which dividends had Heart and amounting to \$25,251.112. or 50 per cent. But, inasnuch as min? ing shares are seldom sold at parat est sale, if is safe to say that the agregate dividends are even better than of per went, and the list of minenoted are still active producers, so that there is no predicting what, may to the aggregate prefit for the fulure.

The history of mining records more saccesses than failures. Every day see law stocks in mines, 'some of which went begging, take a bound to the front, and forturate investors reap lude to the Calumet & Hecla, with its out indefinitely.

record of \$5,000,000 in dividends. But you may ask what about Outmining

in 1872, and from \$59 to \$160 in 1674. and from \$55 to \$158 in 1875; in 1865 to the ton. it advanced from 80 cents to \$12 per United Verde at Jerome, Acizona, in ing-legitim e manag. 188) was contending with debt, when THE MINE in this connection, has made the property well worth \$90,000,000, and the \$10 shares sell at

great rewards. We do not have to all over \$300. This list might be carried

once selling at 50 cents a share, now ario stocks? The answer is that the worth \$750s or the Isabella, that in same rule holds good here. There are 1895, sold stock at 24 centsanow worth stocks sure to be winners. All that is \$145. We all know what the LeRoi necessary is to purchase and that at has done. But, among the later suc- ground floor prices. It would be usecesses may be mentioned the Home less to attempt to buy stock in the mine, of Leadville, Col., that two Sultana or the Mikado, as there is years ago sold its stock for 50 cents, none for sale. These two mines are now worth \$15. The Grand Central in English hands. There are other of Utah, two years ago selling for 48 Ontario mines, now developing, that cents now worth \$9.50 Indeed, there soon will be on a paying basis, and is almost no limit to the successes in such stocks are sure to make a big advance on present prices. Such cer-For instance, the Yellow Jacket tainly will be the case when many of thy in the chair, stock rose from \$42 to \$275 per share them possess unlimited free-milling ores ranging in value from \$6 to \$50

It makes no matter whether we share. Enion Consolidated advanced look at mining in a disparaging way from \$5 to \$93 in -at 9 cents, and at or not, the fact must be conceded that at \$10.in 1856. In 1878 Sierra Nevada the industry has developed in such a advanced from \$16.50 to \$620 per share. manner the world over that it now is Ophiradvanced from \$21 in 1873 to \$290 generally considered to be a regular in 1875. Hale and Norcross sold at \$46 and legitimate business. Conservative in 1871, and 8672.50 in 1872. Gould and investors look upon mining now as of-Curry sold at \$45.50 in 1871, and \$520 fering an attractive field for safe and in 1872. Crown Point advanced from profitable investment. Even men \$274 in 1871 to \$1,825 per share in 1872, who have made fortunes in other lines Consolidated California advanced from are now more or less interested in min-\$93.50 in 1874 to \$700 in 1875. Consol- ling enterprises. It cannot be gainsaid idated Virginia rose from 11 cents per that men of large influence in business therefore take this opportunity to conshare to \$65 per share in one year, and mancial affairs, not only in the Chollar sold at \$20 in 1871, and at \$275 West, but in the East and throughout in 1872. Bodie advanced in the 70's the land on both sides of the interfrom about \$1 per share to \$75, declar, national boundary are, many of them, ing atione time several dividends of prominently ident and in mining, and \$190,000 each in one month. In 1868 one of them recently said: "No other the Best and Belcher sold at \$6.50 in field of lavestment makes better re-1871 and \$1,550 in 1872. This mine has turns or offers greater ephorumides paid \$15,397,200 in dividends. The to every man, rich or poor, then min-

W. A. Clark of Montana bought 1604 would adv mending investors that, 000 of the 300,000 \$10 shares at 10 cents if one has not the means to control a on the dollar. Since then development good property, or the exposure that is necessary to the successful operaat on of our then associate yourself with a reliable and responsible company knews z the imping business and owners well-heated properties. In one nary care and enquiry as to the mine and its management, such investments are corodin of proving mofitable, and some of them largely so, to investors.

he Regular Weekly Mee ing Held on Monday Last.

The council met in regular session Monday evening with Mayor McCar-

A number of communications were received and read.

The accounts of Major, Lewis, Graham, Saunders and Delbridge quarantine officers was referred to the finance committee.

The report of M. Nicholson, chief of fire Brigade was received and referred to the fire, water and light committee. Following is the report.

Gentlemen: -I submit to you the half-yearly report and pay sheet of your fire department.

You will find that this is the lighest play sheet for a number of years, I gratulate the town on the slight loss it has sustained by fire during the last six months, having only three calls and one practice in that time.

Two thousanddollars will fully cover the loss, with \$1,500 in assurance as anoffset.

We feel grateful to your hon, body for your promptitude during the past year in supplying the necessary appliances tomake our department efficient. However, we still stand in need of a set of up to-date harness, more so during the winter months, as we will be unable to move the sleighsout by hand as was the case with the wagons.

While looking through the men's sleeping apartments my attention was drawn to the unfit condition of the mattracses, and would recommend that new ones be provided.

I trust you will be able to make sat isfactory arrangments to retain your present team in the stable, as we feel that they are just what we want for our purpose.

I would recommend that by lawgoverning chimneys, eth. be rigorously spried out, as this will naturally lessen

decision upon 7th day of January, 1901, which was adopted in council.

The by-laws for borrowing money by the issue of debentures for sewer on North Main, Fourth and Third streets, south end of Main, lane between Fifth and Sixth streets, Lillie, Martha, Sec. ond and Chipman streets, drain at Norman, and sidewalk on First/street received their third reading and finally

### L. O. L. 1689.

On Thursday, Dec. 6, L. O. L. 1080 met at Lily Hall to hold their annual meeting and election of officers for the coming vear.

The reports read showed a decided advancement in the order, from every standpoint. The membership increased during the year, from 38 to 96. Money was also spent during the year for lodge supplies, and a full regalia set, amounting to over \$200 beside ministering to the wants of many of their friends. The Lodge is in better condition, stronger numerically and financially with a cleaner membership than ever before in its history. It enters upon the new year and century under the most encouraging condition. The following were elected for the coming year:

L. Myler, W. M., E. R. Little, D. M. Rev. J. Keevil, Chaplain; C. A. Bradford, Rec. Sec : Jos. Moore, Fin. Sec. R. Neil, Treasurer; R. Stroin, D. C.; J. Spears, L.: H. Bolfon, 1st, Com.; W. Boyd, 2nd, Com.; N. Dramer, 3rd, Com.; F. Jockson, 4th. Com.; F. Strain 5th.

### Profits in Low Grade Ore.

That low grade ores may be worked with profit by modern methods was demonstrated last year at the D. Lame av group of mines in Mercue, Utah! 128,801 to a of one; averaging about \$3.50 per ton and giving a return of \$119,137 was worked at cost of \$1.16 per ton for mining the ore, and 72 cents per ton for milling, leaving a net profit of \$116,010 for the year. From tailings which had a value of \$1.00 per top, a not profit of 60 cents was realized, the treatment costing 49 cents per tim. The net from the tailings suggested by His Lordship that a ref-

The Miska Mexican and the Alaska

No Criminal Cases on the Docket and Only Seven Civil Cases.

The winter assizes for Rainy River District opened at the court house yes. terday, Dec. 13th before His Lordship. Sh. W. R. Meredith. Mr. J. K. Brydon was chosen foreman of the Grand Jury. There were no criminal cases on the docket and only seven divil cases.

Savage vs C. P. Ry. Co. - Action for damages brought by widow of the late John Savage, a brakeman employed in his lifetime by the defendants, against the Canadian Pacific Railway Co. to recover damages for loss of her husband, who was killed on the 25th of April last at Dinorwic by being knocked off the train by the spout of a tank at the above station. Action is now being held. Boyce & Draper for plain. tiff; J. A. M. Aikins, Q. C. for defend,

Daunais vs Larkin. Action to recover monigs. Judgment in terms of minutes. Boyce & Draper for plaintiff: Langford & Moran for defendant.

Clark vs Clark .- Action brought to recover monies lent and advanced by plaintiff to defendant. Judgment for plaintiff for \$350 and costs subsequent to statement of claim: W. Boston; Towers for plaintiff: Langford & Moran for defendant.

Nickson vs Drewry et al. - Action brought by W. Nickson against defendants as administrators of John W. Colclough Estate to recover the amount of a mortgage given by the late John W Colclough to the plaintiff, and proceedings taken by the defendant against D. L. Mather and Silas I, Griffis as third parties for relief over. Upon action coming on for trial the counsel for the third parties objected to the regularity of the proceedings taken by defendants against third parties and their objection was sustained. It was erence had better be taken of the accounts leaving the legal questions still men and this suggestion was accented

## A. CAMPBELL Mining Broker Rat Portage, Ont.

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Gold Bricks Were Brought in From the Mikado and Sultana.

The November clean-up of the Mikado mine was brought to town Saturday last. It amounted to about \$12,will however, reduce the operating ex- | \$12.50; penses to a minimum. In making the changes every effort was made by akes, puddings and other dainties Manager McMillan and Director Deacon to reach this result. It is estimated that a saving in operating of from the NEWEST and BEST in the mar. \$1.50 to \$2.00 per ton has been made.

> from the Sultana Saturday, the result of the weekly clean-up. The total amount for the month is, we understand, above the average.

## Money Well Invested

Here are a few copper facts worthy the attention of all would-be investors: \$100 invested in 1897 in Centennial Copper Company is now worth \$308;

\$100 invested in 1896 in Osceola Conpei Company is now worth \$382.

\$10 invested in 1890 in Tamarack Copper Company is now worth \$632.

\$100 invested in 1893 in Boston and Montana Copper Company is now worth \$1 866.

\$19 invested in 1896 in Arnold Copper Company is now worth \$1,870. \$100 invested in 1893 in Wolverine

Copper Company is now worth \$5,600. \$100 invested in 1896 in Butte and

\$10) invested in 1889 in Calumet and Herby Copper Company is now worth

In many cases the dividends which these investments earned aggregate more than the original capital.

Following are the officers of the Old Timers Association elected at the annual meeting held Monday night:—President, Geo. Barnes;1st vice-president, Dr. MacDonald; 2nd vice-president. Harding Rideout; 3rd vice-president, Judge Young; secretary treasurer, J.W. Humble.

present tearn in the stable, as we feel that they are just what we want for our purpose.

I would recommend that by laws governing chimneys, etc. be rigorously bried out, as this will naturally lessen the fire risk. The report of the finance committee

was received and adopted, authorizing payment of the following accounts: Citizens Tel. & Electric Co. \$174, 10; Partington Supply Cd., \$10.60; Delbridge Bros , \$3.00; J. El Schwitzer loc. imp. account \$315.5 Wm. Greenwood \$2.55; D.H. Currie, \$7,47; Jacob Hose, \$20.00; Ontario Rowder Works \$1,20; E.F. Kendall, \$25.00; Rat Portage Hardware Co. -on account \$300; 000, not quite up to the average month- Gardner, Rice, McLeod Co., \$2.40 ly output of the past year. The great Comeron & Heap, \$1.80; A. T. Fife & improvements to the equipment of the Ch., \$12.00 pay roll, board of works, mine, which have just been completed, \$20; Wm McCarthy, diam for band,

> The report of the finance committee also stated that they could not advise making any reduction in the appeal of Jacob Smith for reduction in histaxes.

We would also report that we consider the assessment of the Fulljames property at \$1,400 as being sufficiently Gold bricks were also brought in low and cannotadvise a reduction.

We have fixed an assessment of \$500 upon lots 79, 80, and 81, plan M. for Mis. James Dodds, and upon paying the taxes for 1800 and 1900 on this assessment, would recommend that certificate for taxes in full begranted her

On motion of Couns. McQuarrie and Rice the clerk was instructed to write to the Ontario government, praying that they will grant the concessions asked for by the Keewatin Power Co., to enable them to proceed with their paper and pulp mills at Norman, these concessions being necessary on account of the difference in wages and freight which these mills will have to pay in comparison with mills situated further east.

A. McQuarrie moved, seconded by F. A. Hudson, that the Citizens' Electric Light Company be notified to place a guy on the new iron bridge across the west branch of the Winnipeg river, on the government road to Boston Copper Company is now worth offset the side strain caused by their

The by-law to hold nominations for mayor and councillors and appoint deputy returning officers received its first and second reading. The names of D. A. Pender, C. E. Neads, J. W. Pickett, M. Beegmiller, H. McMurphy, F. Hockley and Eben Jones were inserted in the second reading as deputy returning officers.

The by-law to abolish the board of water commissioners received its first and second reading and the committee recommended that the same be advertised and submitted to the electors for tob, a net profit of 60 cents was real wed, the treatment costing 49 cents per ton. The net from the tailings

The Alaska-Mexican and the Alaska United made magnificent, profits from one only carrying \$2.12 and \$2.40 per ton respectively. Their cost of mining and milling was below \$1,50 per ton, leaving the net profit of only 66 cents per ton for the former and 91 cents per ton for the latter.

The Richardson mine of Nova/Scotia is even more remarkable from the fact! that it is working such a small deposit, The total value was about \$2.60 per ton, while the expenses are somewhat higher than the large Alaska, being \$1.70 per ton.

Ontario possesses many big low grade mines that carry values considerably in excess of the above, mentioned profitable mines. Among them may be mentioned the Homestake of Ontario, Glass Reef, Hammond Reef, Alice A. Emma Abbott, Emma D. Crown Point, and Scramble mines.

In view of the fact that the Ontario mines possess superior advantages in the way of cheap fuel, water, labor, supplies, with the added advantage of accessibility, and greater values in mining lands, involved in the Ontario ores, they should prove the most profitable mines in the world, when suffi- ders of an Ontario patent, were to-day cient capital is supplied to open them declared by the division court to be unup and equip them with adequate der the controll of the province. The machinery.

Capitalists will do well to enquire title under a patent of the Dominion into the possibilities of these big low government, failed to have their fine grade propositions before investing in upheld at the trial before Chanceller less attractive ventures.

## ZION METHODIST CHURCH.

The Anniversary Services Will Be Held on Sunday Next

be held Sunday next, De 16th.: The Dominion government. pastor, Rev. J. H. Morgan, will take Among those who held the Ontario the morning services and Roy, W. M. patents are: E. B. Osler, M. P.; J. S. Rochester will preach in the evening Swart, Q Ca of Winnipeg: S. W. Moyes A special musical service has been it Edward Seybold, J. W. Brown and

special cash offering will be asked for is likely there will be another appeal at the morning service.

regularity of the proceedings taken by defendants against third parties and then objection was sustained, dr was suggested by Wis Lordship that a reference had better he taken of the accounts leaving the legal questions still open, and this suggestion was accepted and the matter referred to the focal master, N. W. Rowell Teronto instructed by T. R. Ferguson for defendant: W. Boston Tower - and A. C. Boyce for third parties.

The following cases are still to be disposed of: -

Johnson vs Johnson Ation for monies. Langford & Moran for plain. tiff: T. H. Ferguson for defendant.

Geroux vs Johnson -- Action for specific performance of an agreement the vein being from 0 to 14 feet wide, for sale of mining locations. W. Boston Towers for plaintiff; Langford & Moran for defendants.

Decision Given at Toronto Upholding the Ontario Patent.

Toronto, Dec. 12 .- The Sultana island Mining company's suit against the hol-Ontario Mining Co. which claim the Boyd, and today failed again on appeal to have that judgment reversed.

Chief Justice: Falconbridge and Mr. Justic Street held that at confederate ion the property passed to the province, and that the surrender of it by the Indians under the treaty of 1873 had The anniversary services in connect the effect of extinguishing the Indian tion with Zion Methodist church will title, and not transferring to the

. H. Jabeth Johnston. The value of the In place of the regular tea meeting a property is placed at over \$100,000. It



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And further lake motiet that after such last mendlemed date the said administrator will proposed to distribute the ejects of the decensed among the parties entitled thereto, having regard ly to the claims of which he shall then have notice, and that the said ad DILLITE ministrator will not, be liable for the said assets or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims no lice shall not have been received by him of the time of such distribution.

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Zeb White Tells How the Pesk) Varmints Sampled His Moonshine duice and the Results and Mrs. Zeh Has a Word to Say About Brains.

[Copyright, 1900, by C. D. Lewis 1 We'd bin makin moonshine whisty over in the big ravine fur about three weeks," said the old possum · letteter of Tennessee, when a thurspin big b'ar cum down out of the lineket one day and acted in a mighty cur'us way. It was in the symmer, and he was sheddin his fur and, though 1 had my fifte handy, I didn't keer to Joet him. That b'ar smelt the whisby, and he suffied and snaffed and social til want a taste. I hothered at him and driv him off two or three times, but he kept comin back. My ele worsen had come over with my supper and are regizehin the bar fur

co'n juje sunh's yo'r bo'n, and I'm fur

g∠vin it to blun! In langiled at the idea, but as he continued to hang around the place the old woman poured about a pint of The smit into a jun and set is on a Flored Do tools away. She had skassly turn if too back bolo' the b'ar was clappin it up, and he smacked his lips lever in less tage a man. In a teefie heard sien a row down around the Leaft that we crept down to see, what are was it was one line and his mate. What practical whisky, and made our dear fiel alghis delive and he was incight that the draw blar dance around and rollfover with him time was drunk that bely such the star solor and find, and the way they enried on was as good as a bloom. Next day both blats Low of all the wlastly and went off as a fly as you please, and half ha near heer I walked pight up to them as

the woman timbes it over and says: . Web, the tire of them blars would be work simples for three months, but what's the melior with shetting the turnings top become outdoor cellad for the rest of take summer? I restlet ive is a manufactor for Seed fem, and each hide with totals and a spour as the Par is

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Ashed to a lit was a good op a for con don't some reason they had heirthe must and The old weathin rechined at . but ashamed of themselves need come off the availe tempeto burn and is i tooler figgered that they y as oil specially the news and invitin Unest to-come along and sheer a fixed thing. We'd about gives up stella 'cia again when they showed up-I was all alone, at the still that, day, but I had reposed hand to tip 'em up in case, our felan worked, fend, I plantist.

keg was no temptashun. Yes, suh, the walked off and let me pass on, and I never shall hear the last of it from the ole woman. I never hey taken a nip of co'n fuice since then that she wasn't Tendy to speak out.

"Thar yo' go ag'in, Zeb White! Law me, but if yo' ouly hed the brains M. QUAD.

### CARL DUNDER'S SAYINGS.

A Wholesome Combination of Fun and Philosophy.

(Copyright, feet), by C. B. Lewis,) Some people vhas born dot way und can't help it. Last week my brudderin-law goes oudt in der woods to kill a rabbit. He doan' find no rabbits, but kicks about his hard luck.

In my time I haf caught some fish donn' satisfy too. I what always monraing after dese fish which weigh ed 22 pounds apiece und got avhap.

I had had men pick my pockets, und I had had friends borrow my money, and I can't quite figure out why der pickpocket should be sent to jail und der odder party go free. It vhas allder same to nu-1 g v nothing back.

nuttlings, untibe he gets feefty cents. but if a man comes to me und says he viss a squar min und cha't sleep n'ghts if he dean' pay his debts I shust

Dr man who calls me oop at mid night to tell are dot my henhouse door vists open thinks to do me a favor. but if the what a philosopher he would



CARL DUNDER. dot if der door vhas open some what use to break oop my sleep? It vhas better for all of us der we stop a

The vhill always find men who thas the grouples because of not knowing a and thing when it whas put at detti. I

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a is of specialing the news and invitin . : begre to come along and sheer thing. We'd, about given up can ag in when they showed up I was all slock at the still that day. . I had ropes at hand to the 'em up in ographan worked, and I pouged donats of whisky into the oan 1 . Til dit in the old place. Them ts in thin reamin around and heen. was for so long that they was the spice and they lapped up freplace Char Better and Edited spode by they They district sik John, as I broked flut. On the confiner. they sharked and growfed and wainted toppick a first with each other. Mel-be a b'ar is like o't can about drinkin Mer him gil too hanch, and he's haly lastead of folly. I waited awhite and then followed lend hopin to find em asheen, and that's how I can to see a sight to make my bar stand up.

"Down around the bend in the ra-Vine was a grassy spot, and what I say was them bars rollin four men Tyer the group I It wasn't a plinit late I knowed wher them men was They was revened fellers who hed got bey stof tay still and was sheatin up He divine to ketch the red banded. The lears had not 'em and plached figst in. I feedlin the fellers was too Emplised to fire a short though all land Pistols, mid the way, them, but's did the fellow twole agery as somals I oop my seat to a fat man. ed that kingdo of a fee was so that the thought of the of my without that arter the bars left fen trouds. "Hat you got some pity for bereicht skasely perigge film sign ficht innn? they belt out in to d wheat, ask nighting

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the Mas no theshy to be got 'con pany of marines' nd they there down our sharpy il our thankers into strips and off El T at hat other We ig distar he abouth ... I was karryin a kilg ul shoulder along alle er a full tilt into til Fine Linewed am in a min st cray don bevin a fuss what wine to se tryin to git nway. it do a the keg and stood back for a warmen. But they take at . They walked up and about, and as soom as they ret. direct smell they souter shook ad and walland off and gin me As I figured it, them in the light headaches, and I hard kitocks. They'd jest of the bounds that it was bad

conguest nat taken der towis, und of what use to break oop my sleep? It vlins better for all of us.det we stop a

You viill always find men who whas in Biddles because of not knowing a and thing when it whas put at defa. I e offered a thief \$2 in each to keep my hay from my chickens, but one night gas to soul an old rooster worth lef fay wents and vlas lamed for life did change of buckshot.

Nil way with depend upon der proble. Vicen Fylias an honest aldermans, eafrobody believes I what dishouest and bald ten Cousand dollars out of some shalis. Vhen I goes by der legislature wall frakes \$20,000 in one day, der people hurraled for me und called me Dot Houest Dootchmans."

One night Mrs. Dunder wakes me Gup and says a burglar whas in der house.

"Vhell, how vhas it?" I says. "You must drive him out."

Dot vhas no policy. If I drive him out, he comes back some other night, If I let him look aroundt und find nottings to steal, he not only walks avhayby himself, but he feels it whas no use to come again."

Vhen I whas going home in a crowdsay logo around was a chation salwo | of suger car der odder eafnings, I gif

"Non a let." says I. "I simply gif oop is more obligent to the carminal as they shat to revenge on my fellow men. realist as they had saved me ! I can you see det he takes oop twice has a susprise and he my gratito of I my room und squeezes tivice as many Jalks hogether?" M. QUAD.

### Lieutenant Jones' Nerve.

"The nerviest act I know of," said a you The course can with free Consas, than while discussing the and but 'et her a gold world's brave deeds, "was performed by Lieutenant Jones of the company of have port day for their marines that fook John Brown at Harhit removed a bow a chart per's Ferry, Robert E. Lee had adthe na'y dannie, I only sort vanced his 90 marines in a semicircle gracy happed it up and about the armory in which Brown and no, and when no the was bis men had taken refuge. Then Lieua Copy gin as a surprise party, temant Jones stepped out and comis not us at the sall menced to read the riot act to the men w. and more growlin around fur? behind the aimory walls, and, though and bogg on a chargen down they kept shooting at him, his voice We gold be scatter anighty hever wavered, nor did he sow any - and they held to away for an other sign of treplication. I was n that

### United.

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"Yes," answerd the youth thoughtfully; "that expresses the iden precisely. She halls from Boston. I was never before ourtains by such a heavy der nitall of intellectual be

### Sicopless.

Bloblis Will den't you consult. doctorabout year insomnia? | Slobbs-Who: And run up more bills? Why, it's because of what I ewe him now that I can't sleep

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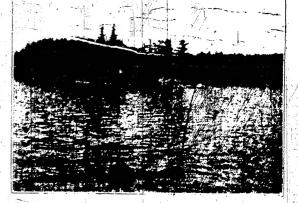
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### The Pacific Cable.

The stheme of lawing an all-British cable comparing Canada and Australit has for many years been the saided ler, late of Dawson City. of negotiation and discussion. The contract for laving this cable has now been concluded and the cable, it is hoped, will show be an accomplished fact. diphtheria. The undertaking is one of much importande, as it will force one more link of communication, which will assist in work is, also one of much magnitude, the route to be covered from Vancouver to Sidney being 7.9 Sinanticalmiles there will be fain all-British channel of communication from Great Britain, ain Such a cable will be of importance, comps th's season. not only as a commencial undertaking, b but from a stragetical point of view,

### Canadians Ronored.

Canada has can softe his round of the perception given, to her South African rolunteris in Great Britails. The plan that store next week. did services performed by our merhavio tended athem by all classes from the highest to the lowest in England, young recoperated the result in England, young recoperated the results of the state of the est not les in the real indicate bearing to the show, then country and to have the show, then country and to have this week Master Stanley Mossin, but their visit a pleasant view and they under careful treatment he is doing have been received in the two houses micely; of the Imperial Parliam of with unity Nurse Redferne had the inition of coulomb honors. The knowning fador of to slip on the sidewalk listly ye K and susual honors. The growning favor of to slip on the sugarans result of a all, however, was the entertainment few days. of the officers by Hen Majesty at her C. N. Clow, principal of the school

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BEWARE OF SUBSTITUTIONS.

Horn. The proprietor at once had tl e boat covered with sheet iron and let off the ways once more and made a trial trip, but after breaking through four or five miles of ice in Rainv lake, which was five inches thick, they gave it up as doing too much he jury to the

R. G. McCosh, teller in the Canad ian Bank of Commerce, left on the 5th for Orangeville where he will enter on duty in one of the branches of the above institution at that place. H's position is being tilled by Mr. Chond-

The many friends of Miss Nova Keat ing are pleased to learn that she is rapidly re overing from an attack of

The Masonic fraternity contemplate holding an assembly in the school binding together yet more closely the bouse on the 28th. Those who are forcountries of the British Empire. The tunate enough to get an invitation may rest assartal that it will be one of the fittest vet held in Fort Frances.

We are pleased to learn thatgour the length of submerged cable and the genial friend Dr. Moore is contemplatdepths at which the cubbs will be faid ing the erection of a hospital in Fort being greater than everb-foreattempt. Frances. One of the wisest notions ed. When the Pacific cable is laid, you ever got loto your head, doctor. Go ahead, we will gladly assist you.

A young man named Baptist was cross the Athintic to Canada, and from Bodd's camp with a broken leg! This Canada, across this Paritie, to, Austral is the first accident heard of from the

> The skating rink opened with a good attendance on Monday evening, the 10th. The first carnival will be held. on the work.

Messis. A. H. Gebble and James Baker are capidly recovering from their attack of typhoid and expect to report on daty all the Hudson's Bay

A number of voing folks drove to received the most gradifying recognity Contained she wood's new residence on leveled a her con Protogo and re-- and Melenvy.

own private table. This is an honer left for hes home in Brockville la t which is bestowed only on mignber of Sunday. On the previous Friday a

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Healing and southing in its action. Pleasant to take, prompt and effectual in its gesuits.

Mr. Chas. Johnson, Bear River, N.S., willes: "I was troubled with hourseness and sere thront, which the doctor prononnee : itranslitiered recommended me try Dr. Weo's Norway Pine Syrap, I did so, and after using three busines I was entirely cured 11.

Take o Laxa-liver Pill before retirher. Twill work while you sleep withmathation tiek floodnehe mid despen-

on Canadian soil last Saturday by & stramer Seagull. Fort Frances will now beast of having a paper published in its own town and will not bother Uncle Sam any more. We learn the pager will assume a new mane, the Fort France's Times.

O. we are connect to the front. You just watch us build next year. We are right after you new Rat Portage. Next year you can come to see us by rall, not be been or w tor, and we will then be a may to entertain to the

mend them to other Ourpellador



# Sweeping

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Fur Fur-lined and Cloth Coats for the remainder of this month 3

- of Fur-fined Coats, Otter collar, best Beaver Cloth, Regular price 2 \$60.00 Reduced to \$50.00.
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The officers who were thus singled. of whom have made enviable regulations in South Africa, Col. Otter and Col. Bu han, as chiefs of the lirst contingent, had the eyes of all Conadi. fixed on them throughous the war, and there is not a patriotic citizen who does not feel proud of the way in which they bore themselves. Capt. Macdonell, who bystile way is a Toronto man and brother of Mr. A. Claude Macdonell the well snown burrister of that city, was one of the first to, volunteer toy services and from all reports which have been sont back was one of the bughtest and bugy st officers at the front.

A Dubutlinespatch says that are an acments are how being simpleted for the construction of steel ships on the takes on a large scale for ocean service. These ships will not be limited in size to the length of the new Canadian canals; but will be of any length; and completly equipped yards on the lakes are in the Scheme, and the ships . tan t, of from 350 to 650 feet in length, bate of no greater width than ill feet. The plan is to build in sections ships of a greater begin than the present locks, 2 tired, digestion. But that will carry join them temporarily in isn't all; it encourages stomach the ship void, non "their down the great likes and to Montreal, and then put them together the is the expectat, hork; it gives and gets them then or take builders that they can strength from the other food becompete not only with the rest of the Clive it

### Fort Frances News.

The resident of Fact Frances and congresulating themselves on the most again, excellent mail service they are now epjoyings Andy Land, the mail contexplore, is receiving congentulation. from all the residents out the river'as tiphis programess. Saturday, Dec. 8. Mr. Lord order I in Fort Princes an home so he about of the bedrie to a which is 5 p.m.

The steamer Scagull was hauled out; near the ferry dock on the Canadian side and was laid up for the winter, but the few warm days will be have c. Lettons been enjoying, lately dolf that he could make a rio rip Chemists,

of the Imperial Palliament with unge Nurse Redferne had the mission are we gat a law. Before they were loof to slip on the sidewalk last, we know gone he to gan to improve, and is now usual honors. The traying favor of has been confined to her whom for a quite well. Lam very good to recem-

own private table. This is an honor left for his home in Brockville left which is respected only on mignibers of Sunday. On the previous Friday a royal families and currence actasions on the close of the school he was present of with a beautiful working doctor. personages of the very highest distinct. the scholars, and in the evening at the ion Canadians have a right to feel Christian Endeavor meeting he was gratified that the Queen, thought the pressured with a beautiful Persian danb cap. As a member of the society services of their boundity men deserving flath cap. As a member of the screen at the Total W TO WEMOVI THE

J. A. Osborne, editor of the Rainy out by Her Majesty were Col. Otter, Like Herald, has completed his print Coll Buchan, and Capt. Macdonell, all ing office and had his presses moved

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## BYLAW NO

Waterwales Commissioners is the Town of Rel Postage to all partion their notary, and pracie with the proceeding with and managing of the Waterworks sisten in the Town of Rat Portage by the Municipal Council.

WHEREASTE is decined advisable to remove the Waterwerks Commisdoners of the Town of But Partage and to provide for the enrying on and in magement of the system of Waterworks now being put in in the Town of Rat Portage under and by the Municipal Council of the Town of Rat Portage.

AND WHEREAS by Chapter 235 ison, it is provided that the Waterworks Commissioners intrusted with the construction of the work, may by By-Law assented to by the electors of the Municipality, at any time be no-

assembled enacts as follows:

- 1. That from and after the date of coming into force of this By-law the Municipal Council of the Town of Rat Portage shall assume the work of construction of the Waterworks system in the Town of Rat Portage and shall proceed with and manage the same. the construction of which system and the management of the same is now intrusted to the Waterworks Commissignors
- 2. That from and after the date of coming into force of this By-law the said Waterworks Commissioners shall cease to have or exercise any power or control in any way whatsoever in appointed Deputy Returning Officer come ction with the said system of Web tworks, and that all the rights, Word; and that D. McMurphy, jr , be names authoritie . immunities, dut-

us and lightliti - then belonging to the Commissioners shall be transferred atking the To mof Rat Portage.

3. It is on the said date the said Waterworks Commissioners shall be The genuine i hald the perpetive amounts or balthees dig to each of them respectively the electors entitled to vote and defor salary and that from and after ure on it, take the said date the said Waterworks ing of this By-Law. (Commissioners hall have no further or other claim for salary.

> 4. That from and after the dake 'on coming into force of this By-law the Peleck in the afternoon on the same Municipal Council of the Composition day. of the Town of Rat Portage shall assume the work of the construction of the said Waterworks system and proreed with and manage the system of Waterworks in every particular,

5. That this By-law shall take the on the --- day of January in .

ESTABLISHED 1882.

TAIN ST., RAT PORTAGE.

vent of our Lord one thousand nine attended each polling place on behalf Lore SALE discontinuous of the persons, interested in and dry Lorentzes Sands in

the North, Centre, South and West half of the persons interested in and Block, Wards of the said Town of that Ports desirous of opposing the passing of age shall be taken on this By-law, on this By-Law. Monday the seventh day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hun leed and one at a poll to be appoin of at the following places and of Rat Portige shall attend at the with the following deputy returning Town Hall in said Town of Rat Ports officers, that is to say :

### CENTRE WARD.

Politing sub-division No. 1 at the Town Hall in the Wown of Rat Portage: Polling subadivision No. 2 at; the Office of All of Wilson. Teamster Main Street, in the Town of Rat Portage.

### NORTH WARD

Polling sub-division, No. 1 at the being House in the Town of Rat Port-AM) WHEREAS by Chapter 235 age: Polling sub-division No. 2 at Sun-of the Revised Statutes of Outario, blade's Boarding, House, Railway Street, in the Town of Rat Portage.

### SOUTH WARD:

Polling subdivision No. 1 at the the Corner of 2nd and Martha Streets cipal Council of the Corporation of subdivision No. 2 at the shop of John the, Town of Rat Portage in gouncil Stendal, Agues Street, in the Town of Maner, the date of which first publica-Rat Portage.

### WEST WARD

watin Read and C. P. R., Norman in day and at the hours and places therethe Town of Rat Portage.

And that D. A. Pender be and is reachy appointed Deputy Returning Officer for Centre Ward polling subdivision No. 1, and that Chas. E. Neads be and is hereby appointed Deputy Returning Officer for polling subdivis-ion No. 2 Centre Ward: and that J. AV. Pickett be and is hereby appointed, Deputy Returning Officer for polling subdivision No. 1 North Ward; and that M. Seegmillor be and is hereby papentier Deputy Returning Officer for polling subdivision No. 2 North Wards and that D. McMurphy, ir , be and is hereby appointed Deputy Ros for polling subdivision No. 2 North Durning Officer for polling subdivision No. 1 South Ward; and that Frank o and fixed in the Municipal Corpor- Hockley be and is hereby appointed Deputy Retinging Officer for polling sublivision No. 2 South Ward; and that Eben Jones be and is hereby appointed Deputy Returning Officer for the West Ward; to take the votes of sirous of voting for or against the pass

> And that the said poll be open at the hour of nine o'clock in the force noon and shall be kept open till five

7. That on the Fifth day of January In the year of Our Lord One Thousand! eleven o's at in the forenoon the May or or the Book of the Municipality with any Normal by how two persons to

of the persons, sites of passing of Locations, Insurance 5. That the votes of the electors of this By Lawand a like number on be branches C.W. Chaloric.

8. That on the Seventh day of Jamiarv, A. D. 1901, the Clerk of the Town age at seven o'clock name and shall sani up the number of votes given for and against this By-Law and their and there declare to all present whether the requisite number of electors voted in f ever of the passing of this By-Law or contrary thereto,

Done and passed in open Council A.D., 190

Wiyer.

Take notice that the above is a true copy of a proposed By-Law, which has been taken into consideration, and which will be finally passed by the House of Dugald McMurphy, Jr., at Council of the Municipality (in the event of the assent of the electors be-THEREFORE the Mayor and Mun- in the Town of Rat Portage; Polling ing obtained thereto) after one mouth M. CAMINETSKY from the first publication in THE tion was Friday the fourteenth day of December, A. D. 1900, and that the votes of the electors of the said Muni-Greenwood's Hall, Corner of Kee- cipality will be taken thereon on the

D. H. CURRIF, Clerk.

# White Watery

Five years ago my body broke out in wite watery pimples, which grew so bad that the suffering was alm at unbearable.

I took as so medicine and various value s for two years but they was of little benefit. whenev ' I gr ' warmed up or an the said estate among sweat the physics' would come as of whose claims he shed out again

Blood I down and I am glad I other person or persons what a fellowed him in her for four bottles commently cared me.

That was three years ago and Nine Ha and and One at the hour of there las ne, a been a spot or pimple or see suce.

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is of whose claims he shall the ... A new years advised Burdock will not be responsible to the said administration of the said separation of the said

Par. Post 's

Per J

ward Bird. His Solicitor.

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spines to supply the world for many make upon him. . . that be cherically with im the of extitation the end w to beginn avril the sprage that very souls. a point to the results for othis matter we Catholics have a

mysteries of faith, the solemn truths on which man rests his eternal hopes. are tossed about with as little reverence or reserve as if they were some topics of the most trivial importance; and we fear that sometimes these things have their polson in the minds of Catholies who read them. "Lead us not into temptation," holds in this as in all other occasions of sin; and the catholic who out of more wantonness or duriesity reads such writings loves the danger, and it is no wonder if he should parish therein. The ordinary man of the world -without any special training in such subjects. With the return of Mr. G. R. Gray without any opportunity or intention and G.E. Sylvester to the city, the last of following up the questions in disof thousel parties parties and our by cassing to the end .- is no match for the Ocharia government into How wellers who are often specialists of Ontagio his saidly a ground to copies great ability and knowledge, but who among the state of reincial-bards than was at first supe very least, it is in expusable rashness posed. There is now kyown to brinils for such a mon to expose himself to flower through in the visiting round of the danger of being unsettled in his north of intentionally visiting in the the danger of being unsettled in his north of intentionally visiting in the danger of being unsettled in his

free to dang. Of the explanation . Woise, perhips, and more fatal to parties that w hear week during the many souls is the immoral literature past served the most substanting to wider is poured atmost in floods, over part is made by first paler Mr. Niver, the country. We believe that one upils mirror should from the potts 2000 should go back to the old pagan times note of Nivers Torrectory, betweet to find anything out if to it in corrup-Alconia and Nicksing, but proposed at the an and and it would be a wrong to dimensis for her milegen the Mestre the great classical writers of antiquity whicher. The paritary to the not high compage them with a certain imand rough of the round followed, toy portant school of English fiction in ering for of his square, was can fully the days. And what is more deplorexplicied. The teledrice is vestigated lable is that many Catholics who deem that Sept source red is. Deduction themselves found members of the church stand from members of the church is the control of the church stand from members. explored. The test defens it vest getted Able is that many Catholics who deem about 1 son sprepositive for Water at after themselves the atmost liberty would been about 1900 spring falls in realing such things. Let a book & of band, of in then To par grate is they builty be extensively spoken of, then no land, spherially timbered. In other marrer how impure and how suggestive words, toking only one section of come of evil it may be, no matter how gross try, the moreli of the height of bindlexs and indepent may be the phases of planed by a single party, out of the ten, beginned life with which it deals, if only the existence of nearly 8,000- it is fashionable, numbers of people had suitable on syrian seen to think that they are free to It timbered his hapters read it. Even women Catholic, we' value of the latterius a raw ahen, take this licence, and will st xpostation was that at an earthly consideration would higher is buy two a become of them to real about in the presence of what the right of the street, than or workers, for about It is gold be a triveled likely odd a particle of respect. Surely of as they the Sill ke of such rendinginust fill the imaginative

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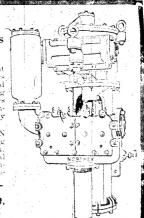
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the national resonances of approach in Hithertown have avoided Trought Lightly Townster the to the writings of Marie Corolli. a be to some purpose to nat be a of the kind, which Cutho resure sare in duty bound to ignore. and to quote the opinion of an eminent literary critic who in the course of a . I Marks Corretti's Entert bhathing tovow the cribes The Muster "Choistain" as "a formal attack upon all the churches by an unbittered hely amed tal a lace inquiber: who knews now the radianents of the We Midely, and I by who of the of the describe of action. Red chopy for criticists.

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### A. O. U. W.

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Bro. F. Poole. Bro. J. R. M Dairmid., Bro. M. L. Ingrain. Bro. W. Walker. Bro. W. J. Jolinston: J. B. Davies. Br - J. R. McDairmid. ist. b., J.W. D. Coate. ze T. W. Chapple was electsentative to Grand Lodge, by Inserver in February,

e tega a coust sow softansaffect of the were Most on in his usual Ter ong ug of the national akt zly, the prozpani, which and should to a dose.

The Norman has hely team went over as heaven a fee, Squarday night to ! ver thindly some with the Keewiedon't aviate maccount of, some the game was a very close one. together a tile Kowatin boys not showing up The Norman boys are not at all dis-

a said a sear. The Norman boys put up a stiong of the content boys put up a strong gether.

There was of a doubt as to the true hemselves, while R. scote, as distingui Boad . de er pout played in his keeper in I was tyle. For Keewatin, N. seen by t. mar; he prayed a very made it o

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strong defence. Calloway made some brave rushes on the forward line. At half time the was was 2 to 1 in favor of Norman, by he has thalf Keewatin spirit and scored four goals. Several very bal offsides were made to be key to on. The game did not by the Keen tine ish, but altogether

in and the armonock. It resulted in a counterful that was their first game this season, and also the first time that all the playe had been on the ice to-

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### CONTINUED FROM LAST WEEK.

But Malcom Stanley had risen, bis whole dispression betraying great ex-

"If the girl's onme is Kirk, Mrs. Felton and she is from Kansas, it is almost cortain the she is the daughter of the man who was with my thother when she died in midocenni the man who held me in his arms, the man who has always been in my theaght

as one of the heroes of the world," Mrs. Pulton cost looking fewildered.
She was familiar with Francis Raleigh's painting but she bad never thought of associating Faith with it.

"I must see ber " said Malcom Stanley. He spoke like one who has the right to command.

"I think she has gone out" said Mrs. Fulton, "Alice, will you go, and see?" Alice went out and soon came back. saying that Faith fad gone. Malcom Stanley paced the parlor in unusual

agitation of manner. "If this is the daughter of Malcom Kirk," he said to himself. Then he furned ito Mrs. Fukon and bowed formally.

You will excuse the madam, if I take my leave now I am obliged to make some arrangements about the pleture at Mr. Raleights this after-

"When do You leave for the west?" Mrs. Fulton asked. She was annoyed atitle ofents of the day.

. I had planned to ke numberow. 1 expect to visit Mr. Kirk of my way to Denvier. But I feel anxious to see Miss Kirk before I go She certainly must be dis daughter A hired girl as you call thems would not be likely to. have such a inusical educations and, besides, she has the look in bor face of the portrait, it must be she."

"Yes," cried Alice, her pale, face showing some edlor dinder, the excite ment of such a discovery in real dife. "She certainly played the plane like one who has had the best of teachers And, besides, you can see from her, manner that she is refined and ladylike,". Alice spoke with a glow of unselfish feeling, and Malcom Stanley looked gratefully at her.

"I may come out with Mr. Fulton this evening." he said.

He bowed and went out, leaving M . Fullon and Alice to talk over the fatter, while he went down to Francis, Raleigh's studio, determined every moment with increasing resolve to re-

She know before she resessed the place that the plc. are was gone, because the usual c. wd of people was sot there. She stopped in front of thewindow, however, and read the address of the artist which was attached to a small scene of a foreign semport. She hesitated a moment, and then resolutely went on to andolph street, to the block where Raleigh's studio was.

His room was at the top of the building, and when she reached it she hesitated again before going in. When she finally opened the door, she drewback at the entrance, for the room uppeared to be empty except for a large canvas and a few decorations. There was another room opening from the irst, and after waiting a moment 'aith went on to the door of that

A man was sitting there with his back to the entrance so absorbed in his work that he evidently had not heard her come in. But Faith was at once attracted by the sight of the familiar picture of the father which was on a great-easel in front of the artist.

She came a few steps farther into the room, and still the artist did not look up, and it was only when Faith ad advanced as far as the frame of he picture of her father that he turned ds face and looked at her.

"I am Faith Kha, and that is my father," said Faith, speaking directly,



I am Faith Kirk, and that is my father, 'so d Faith.

after Malcom's own manner, and point ing at the partrais. "I've come on a ather peculiar errand, Mr. Raleigh. Out you won't blame me for it, I am

Blame the daughter of Dorothy Gil legt." cried Francis Raleigh. His once bedyy, black hair was strenked with gray, and he had grown notice ably old in many ways, but he was a handsome and well preserved gentle man, and the old Rabigh manner sat on him with even more grace than

thing that the world needs movel Some times when I look at a picture like that I feel as if i could in time, paint

Francis Raleigh bowed, and a pleas ad smile came over his face. Not all the praise from the art critics of his picture had gratified him so much.

something almost as good."

"If I could get a permanent position somewhere, I know I could work up into a place of usefulness. I can do the retouching, and I like to do it. And in time I might have a studio of my own. There are several successful women photographers here."

"That's true, and I know one or two of them," said Raleigh (houghtfully He never knew bow much it had cost Faith to ask him what she did. She had no foolish pride that some girls have, and Malcom Kirk had always taught his own childrenens well as others that sometimes the most manly or womanly thing one can do is to receive help to help oneself, but Faith would never have come to Raleigh for such assistance if she had not somehow felt certain that she must have some friendly aid in the great city before she could do what she felt slie must do in order to help the dear, ones at home as well as herself.

There was silence in the studio for a

moment. Then Raleigh said, while the smile on his handsome face lighted un like smishine:

"How would you like to work in Miss Varney's studio at Kenwood?"

"It would be a Conutiful place!" cried Faith with enthusiasm. She knew the thous studio which the richest people in the city patronized, and she had even been out to it twice to solicit or ders, but each time had failed to get anything. It was an ideal place; and the could not help wondering if Ra heigh knew anything of her experience

"Miss Varney is a niece of my wifel said Raleigh, smiling at Faith again "Suppose, instead of writing you a letter of introduction; I go out there with you and introduce you in person?"

"That would be beautiful;" cried Faith. Then she grew suddenly shy again and gazed at the artist half fear ully, as if she felt she might have trespassed somewhat on her knewl edge of his old time affection for her mother

Rafeigh seemed to read her thought: "My door girl." he said, with a smile that set Faith's mind, forever at rest "berkaps you know that once I thought very much of your mother, but she gave her heart to a better man, for which I have never repreached her How the years have gone since then?"

He was silent suddenly, mod his face grew thoughtful. Let us see We shall have time to get out there this afternoon, I am at your service Good by to the kitcheri and, welcome the vocation you are fitted for. At the same time, I envy the people you are working for, if you are anything like the cook your motherwised to be." His laughed so deligitfully that Taith Join ed him, and neither of them heard a

· line one was had been in a gream of the day. It all seemed so strangethe studio, the artist the picture, the big, hearty, honest young Englishman. She found it hard to realize that she was actually in the heart of the great. rushing, prossic, settish city. All this was so like a story, like things one reads about, but so seldom knows in the real fife.

"I your father were only here now," said Rafeigh, whose romantic temperamen was moved deeply by the events of the day, this room would contain all the elements of a genuine story."

As he spoke they all three turned in stindively toward the entrance of the other room, There stood Malcom Kirk, his fall, heavy figure filling up the opening and his homely, loving face showing unusual emotion.

"Father?" cried Faith, and the next minute she was in his arms, sobbing and exclaiming

Then she stepped back, a little ashamed of her sudden outbarst, as she remembered the presence of the two men behind her, but she kept hold of Malcom's hand and drew him into the studio.

"How did you come here, father We had no idea"-

"It's not a long story, my dear, said Malcom.

"Mr. Raleigh, how do you do? It's a long time since I saw you on the deck of that steamer." Malcom pointed to the picture, and still his great brown eyes rested on Malcom Stanley, who was standing there pale and exmitod :

Raleigh took Kirk's hand and shook it heartily. He then turned quickly to Stanley.

"You ought to know this gentleman. Mr. Kirk. You met him before, I did." Kirk stepped toward Stanley. Both tien were tleeply moved.

"You were with my mother when she died, Mr. Kirki" said Stanley in a voice that trembled a little.

"If we were Russians, we would embrace each other now," cried Malcon Kirk, "but as you are an Englishman and I am an American I suppose a handslinke is the nearest we can get to

As he said if he grasped Stanley's big palm, which went out to meet his, and Raleigh said afterward be was sure he heard the bones suap, but notther man winced

"The heart goes with it said Malcom Stanley, admiring Kirk out of his honest face with a loving look

Kirk drew back a little and greed at the stalwart, young tigure. Then he glaticed at the painting.

"I would not like to take the contract of beliding you in my arms now, as I did then. But, as I remember, you were a very good baby,"

"So he is now," said Raleigh, who had turned his face toward the case) to hide his emotion

That made Parth laugh, and the rest joined her, and the tension of feeling broke, and they all grew more at ease. For several minutes questions and an

he told her be expected to be at ille studio this afternoon. No one knew where you had gone, and so I game down here to find him, intending to go back to the Pultons by the time you Falton sat silent and intensely interreturned.'2

"It's all simple enough, isn't it?" said Malcom Stanley thoughtfully,

"Yes, said Fauth. Then she saddenly remembered that she was a "hired girl." having a Thursday afternoon out Wather, I must be getting back to

the Fultons'. They cannot five without nie. Put that down in your sociological notes on the thired girl problem -that no matter how low in the scale the thired girl may be she is really of first importance for the comfort and happiness of thousands of the best families in the hand."

"That's true. Why isn't there some way, then, to elegate and dignify the service?" asked Malcom Kirk, who seemed ready to discuss the problem serionsly.

"No. no, father, we can't stop to reform the world right here. It is too late. Do you want your daughter to be scolded for not getting dinner in time?

"I am going back with you." said ber father, vising.

Then he turned toward Stanley, who was looking a little anxiously at father and daughter.

"Come, Stanley, Fil take the liberty of asking you to come with us. Mrs. Fulton said you might return this evening anyway. We haven't had our talk out, and I will be responsible for the consequences of taking you out with us.".

"I was planning to go," said Stanley, looking relieved. "I want to see Mr. Fulton again on business." He did not say that he wanted to see Paith.

"Come to think of it," said Raleigh suddenly, "I have an invitation myself to take dinner with the Fultons tonight. Mrs. Raleigh is out of town. and Fulton asked me to come out and talk over a new art design be has received for the cover of his mining journal."

"But," cried Faith in some distant. "do (you three hig men realize that I foundly moved by it. am the "hired girl' at the Fultons"? Do you think I can possibly get a dinper ready, at this time of the day for such appetites as I am sure you all Bereit

There was a look of emparrassment on the faces of Raleigh and Stanley, but Malcom Kirk settled the matter by saying, as he took Falth's arm and led her out of the studio:

"Don't be plarmed, gentlement I will sneak for the dinner. Faith can make a pulatable dinner out of bread and water in some mysterious way, and it everything else is wanting we can feast on the remarkable events of the i his recommendations to secure a good afternoon."

So they went out, laughbig and talk ; ing, and as they took a carriage for Elhe avenue, the driver engaging to get | "Well, tather, Uffeelins it I ought to them there before 5 o'clock, there was sany air the city of I jean really become no more happy, light hearted girl in a bready inner Action try it/awhile

or the Fultons. The three guests had a good deal to say. All of them had seen good doal of the world, and each from his own point of view, was a fascinaling talker. Mr. and Mrs. ested. Mr. Fulton quite forgot his business Interests for awhile Alice and Faigh sat near together and istened broathlessly to one or two stories Malcom Stabley told very modestly about some genutire adventures in the faining districts of the African Transvagt. Roy, who was just beginning to disvour books in much the same manner as he devouged pip, leaved his chin on his hands and his ellows on his kness



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But perhaps the one person who impressed the whole company may deeply was Maleson Ricks

There was something so Godest; yet so manly, so winsome in its genune Christian syndjathy in his whole channor, that even Mrs Pullen was area-

her hashand that evering: And that meant a good deat for her.

Malcon and Stanley remained that night at the Pullblas at their argent request, and in the morning after breakfast, while Mr. Fulton and Stanley, 1 were talking business in the library, Paith and her father beld a conference in the parlor.

"I had planned to take you back home with me, my dear," said Malcon. But Baleigh told me last night of his piece, Miss Varney, and said therewas he don't of your being able, with: position there. We want to do what is host in every way. Your mother, is Lomesick for you too."

this eveniug! he said.

He bowed and went out, leaving Mrs. Fullon and Alice to talk over the marter, while he went down to Francis. Raleigh's studio, determined every mo-ment with inerposing resolve to retutu and sed Paith before the day was fon him with even more grace than

Meanwhile Faith and gone directly to the tabillar window on State street where the picture had been.

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bert," cried Brancis Raleigh, His once heavy, black hair was streaked with gray, and he had grown noticeably old in many ways, but he was a handsome and well preserved centle man, and the old Raleigh manner sat when he was young.

He gose and bowed with an elegant politeress that brought the color to with's check, and for a moment they stood facing each other in silence Then Raleigh brought a chair, and Paith sat down, while the artist lookof at her with great and increasing in terest. "I suppose you have come to take

me to task for painting this picture, lie said. 'It was a one sense a very bold thing for me to do. I think, how erer, your father will forgive me. am sure he will when he knows all about my reasons for doing it." He spoke in a tone that made Faith feel Somehow that the picture had had a rial influence on the life of the artist, as indeed it had, and the telling of it at another time revealed the fact that Francis Raleigh had gone through an experience of moral struggle that had

left him also victor in overcoming. This ure father would be pleased. said Faith slowly. Then she paused, for suddenly one of her shy spells came over her and she did not know liow to go on. For the first time she seemed to feel as if perhaps her errand would be considered unusual.

"What can I do for you?" said Baleight. He spoke in a way that removed Faith's shyness at once. It it had not been for that she would have gone away without telling him what she had come for.

"Of course," he continued, "I ain wondering every minute how you happered to come in here, for your home is in Kansas, isn't it? and I"-

"Will you let me tell how I happened to be here?" said Faith, feeling more confident in her errand; "I shall have to tell it before you will understand why I have come."

"Yes, tell mo your story," said Raleigh, smiling encouragingly. So Faith related her experience in the photographer's studio and her present place of work at the Fultons', whereat Francis Raleigh opened his eves a little, buf he continued to listen in sympathetic

### CHAPTER XVIII.

A HAPPY MEETING IN THE STUDIO. His, love for Dorothy Gilbert had long ago passed into a memory He has married now and had a wite and children whom he dearly loved. But as l'aith went on and made her errand to him clear be thought back in silent wonder at that time when Malcom Kirk find crossed the ocean with him and he had thoughtlessly made the sketch which medut so much now to thore than one person.

"And I've come here now." continued Enith as she concluded the story of her experiences, wo see if you would give nie a letter of introduction or recommendation to some place where I could do the work that I feel that I ought to be doing. I'm very proud. I don't mean that I am in any way ashamed of the housework" - Faith's cheeks glowed with sudden color-"but I am

by to the kitchen and welcome the vocation you are fitted for. At the same time, I envy the people you art working for, if you are anything like the cook your mother used to be." He laughed so delightfully that Paith join ed-him, and neither of them heard a step in the other room and did not know any one had come in until Malcom Stanley stood at the entrance gaz ing at them? Roleigh had risen and had hid his

palette and brushes down. At sight of Stanley he exclaimed, "Come in, young giant, and let me introduct some one you ought to know."

Maleom came slowly forward, look ing at Faith, who had risen. ' Each of them was evidently excited at what was now evident to them both.

"Miss Kick," said Raleigh, with an emotion he did not try to conceal, "this is Mr. Stanley - Malcon, Stanley whose likeness I have so faithfully reproduced on the canvas there!" Malcom and Faith faced each other

in silence, and then Faith put out her

"Will you shake hands with a hired girl. Mr. Stauley, for father's sake?" she said half shyly, half in the manner she had inherited from Malcom Kirk.

"Will I?" cried Malcom Stanleyd The way he shook Faith's hand assured everybody that he had no hesitation on the score of Faith's position. They had all three been suddenly smitten with unusual solemnity, and Malcom's energetic handshake made Raleigh laugh. Fuith followed, and Malcom joined in, and the excitement of that sudden meeting passed into question and answer.

"It's a long way from the deck of that steamer to this studio," said Mall com Stanley. But truth is stranger than fiction - at feast any fiction I ever read." And their he went on to give Faith some account of his life since the time when Malcom Kirk had left him with his aunt in London.

The aunt had died when he was 2 years old, and he had been adopted into the family of a distant relative, taking the name of Malcom at his aunt's request in loving memory of his queer nurse. The money that Kirk had raisi ed on board the steamer and been for tunately invested. On coming of age this fund enabled the young man to hit himself for an engineer. He had risen steadily and had at last been promoted to a place of great responsibility. The company for which he worked had interests in the United States, and Malcom had come over to superintend the opening of some mines in Colorado and New Mexico. His business interests had made him acquainted with Mr. Fulton, and it was through him that he had made the acquaintance of Mr Raleigh and finally purchased the picture, with the intention of giving it to Malcom Kirk. The artist had insisted on practically giving a large share of the value of the picture to Stamley, and the latter had planned a surprise for Kirk on his way west.

All this and more did Faith hear wonderingly. The short winter day was going by, and Raleigh suddenly interrupted the conversation.

We shall have to give up our trip to Kenwood today, Faith." "And I must be getting back to my

"So be is now," said Raleigh, who had turned his face toward, the easel to hide his emotion.

That made Faith laugh, and the rest Joined her, and the tension of feeling brokd, and they all grew more at ease. For several minutes questions and an swers flew fast in the now darkening studie.

"Fifther, you must give an account of yourself. The rest of as know how we came to be here. But your presence is a mystery," said Pailth, drawing up closed to him

"Well, my dear, it was your letter that brought me."

"Mit letter?"

'Yes, the one you wrote Sunday Your mother was very anxious about on. You did not mean to tell us, but e read between the lines that you were having 'experiences,' as you call, them! Besides, a check came for one of my stories that morning, and I felt. the need of a little vacation and came on to Chicago to study the hired girl problem' and other sociological experiments.

Faith laughed. Then she passed her hand over her father's sleeve.

"I do believe you have gone and bought a new overcoat! You aren't going to be sick, are you, father? Are you feeling all right in your mind?"

"Your mother made me promise that would get one as soon as I reached



"The heart your with it." said Malcom Stanley:

the city," said Malcon, a little sheep ishly. "It only cost \$8.50. That was one reason I was late getting around to the Fultons'. The train was delayed by an accident too."

"Eight dollars and a half" muttered Faith with some indignation. But the thought of the father and his love for her that had brought him toothe city softened her indignation. She clung to him closer, and the other men looked . at father and daughter with great in-Literest

But how did you happen to know was here?" asked Faith suddenly. "I didn't, but when I called at the

Fultons' Mr. Stanley had just gone. Mrs. Fulton teld me who be was, and confessed that she had no idea that you were in any way connected with

feast on the remarkable events of the afternoon."

So they went out, laughling and talk ing, and as they took a carriage for Elhis avenue, the driver changing to get them there before 5 o'clock, there was no more happy, light hearted girl in the great city than Paith Kirk.

CHAPTER XIX.

EATTH FINDS A MORE CONGESIAL POSI-That was the most remarkable com

pany dinner that Mrs. Fulton ever knew in her house. Faith insisted on going to work as if fothing unusual had happened. By 7 o'clock every thing was ready, and the company sat' down. Maleon Stanley rubbed his eves several times as Paith came in and removed the various courses and served with a quiet dignity that made its impression on every side. Mes. Fulton was visibly embarrassed by the fact that the girl who was in her kitchen, her "help," was the daughter of Malcom Kirk, who was the author of such stories in the newspapers. Roy had discovered his authorship at: once by asking him a leading quest tion, and Malcom had not been able to conceal his identity. There was an unusual respect in the young gentleman's attitude loward the Kansas preacher, a respect, which, however, did not prevent him from enting the larger part of a dish of preserves unobserved during the general excitement of conversation. Malcom Kirk looked proudly at Faith

every time she came into the room, and the fact that she was there serving in household work did not disturb him or give him any false feeling of shame. Even Mrs. Fulion had a vague dawning of the fact of nobility in service that had been an unknown thing to her, although she could not help feeling astonished whenever she looked around the table and realized who her quests were.

After dinner was over Alice insisted on going out to help Faith. Her mother did not rebuke her, and Faith gratefully accepted her aid. When the work was all done, Mars. Fulton came into the kitchen.

She was struggling with an unusual emotion, and it was not easy for her to sar what she had prepared,

"Faith-Miss Kirk, of course-you must come into the parlor with us this evening. You ought to have told mewho you were. I-I-perhaps, I have not treated you just right. I did not know"-

"Don't say anything about that ma'am," said Faith. "This experience has been worth a good deal to nie. I'm afraid I've had some un-Christian thoughts about you."

"You do not need to say anything about that," said Mrs. Fulton hastily. Then she added in a tone that made Faith feel that she had been thanking a good deal of Faith's efficient service: "We shall not know how to get along without you. You have quite spolled us for the average help."

"I'm glad if you've been pleased," replied Faith, and that was all that was said then, but the atmosphere between her and Mrs. Fulton cleared up wonderfully.

That evening was not soon forgotten

position there. We want to do what As best in every way. Your mother is homesick for you too.

Well, father, I feet as if I ought to stay in the city till yan really become a breadwinner. Jot me try it awhite at the Studio, and if I fall then I'll come home and spend the rest of my. days cobling for you and the boys."

"How about your work here Faith! Are you under promise by Mrs. Fulton to star and hourth of 1/06-2"

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The Unconscious Bumor That Crops Out In the Green Isle.

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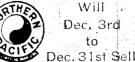
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### ltems of Local Interest W.M. Stronk manage

Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong left foreast last Tuesday, where they will visit for ing friends in Toronto for some time. two or three months.

Geo. Yates, left for Wiodstock Out,

The Citizens Electric Co. is installing 150 miniature lights in Notre Dame church. They are being placed over the statue and in various places over the altar. The whole work will be completed and ready for midnight mass on Christmas Eve.

receiver for the Phancer Steam Nav- been completed.

newspaper can show such complimentmy letters regarding their pictures as have litely appeared in the Family Mera'd. The letters are genuine, too. for the writer's name and address is given, and we notice they are from the best authorities in Canada on works of art: It is wonderful what one dollar will purchase nowadays in the newspaper line. The Family Her-ald and Weekly Sar with the two pictures inentioned for one dollar, is certainly the bargain of the year.

Mrs. A.F. Gooding left for Winnipeg last Saturday to visit friends and

On Monday evening a large number of people were assembled in the basement of St. Alban's church to see and hear "Neddie's Care." The story, which was read by Miss Dowsett, des cribed the life of two little waifs, who were rescued from the streets of Irondon, and educated in a children's home. The importance and value of these missions was well emphasized. The pictures which illustrated the story, by means of a mogic lentern, were clear and well chosen. Several familiar hymns were sung at intervals. The lads composing the Boys' Brigade, presented quite a military appenuañce.

The C.P.R. service and accommodation being provided for the excursionists going east to spend the holidays is in advance of that of previous years in many respects. The journey can be made to Ontario within two days and in addition to the new tourist cars which run daily from main line and branches. Arrangements have also been made whereby if a sufficient number of friends travel together a car can be reserved for their exclusive use. Several parties of this kind are leaving in the beginning of next week. At Horswill's for Cash Best butter As all bedding and toilet requisites by the tub or box 19c per pound. Re- are provided, and the cars are provided with a cooking range, the comforts of a home are assured, particularly when no change is required from the time of leaving the west until the old home in the east is reached.

C. A. S. Boddy left for Toronto Saturday,

Mr. and Mrs. Weigand of Fort William have returned to Rat Portage.

A. Milne was in from the Mikado over Sunday.

R.B. Rodgers of the Rodgers Clothing Co. was in Winnipeg on business this week.

J. E. Schwitzer C. E. was intownthis

H.E. Hallett has returned from a business trip to Winnipeg.

W.M. Strong manager of the Sultana

G.P. Phillips, steamboat inspector, left Saturday evening for Toronto, to ioin Mes. Phillips who has been visit-They will not return to Rat Portage for a couple of months.

where he will join his fainily who have the fire brigade had a practice, where he will join his fainily who have the fire brigade had a practice. Sixth street. They made excellent time. and everything worked smoothly.

The population of Sault Ste. Marie has increased from 3500 to 6000 in seven months

There are twenty-eight patients under treatment in Port Arthur hos-D. A. Pender has been appointed pital. A new wing has just recently

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At a meeting of the local ministerial association last week it was decided to discourage the helding of funerals on

Thos. Hevs returned this week from the Glass Reef , where he has been engaged for the past couple of weeks making assays from different veins on the property. He says the Glass Roef Co. has a splendidly equipped property.

Gardner, Rice, McLeod stores will be open every sight, next week till 10 McConnell and the negative by J. oclock. Musical programme will take Sallivan, J. McPhail and Miss Mac place every night.

Wm. Farwell who has been connected with the Imperial Bank here left this week for the Son where he left this week for one soon when the took great care on perhas accepted a position in the Railway faults of these present.

The Clerk+ in the office of the R.P. Lumber Co. had their ice boat out this week. " Mr. McLelland thinks with a little more sail and a strong wind he will have the fastest thing on the ice.

The local branch of the C.M.B.A. is to be followed by a dance;

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High School Literary Society, On Frid ty altertion of last week the

regular debate of the High School Literary Society was held. After a short buisness meeting, in which the minutes of the last meeting were read and idopted, the literary programme was

An excellent address was given to he schoolars by Mr. Pool on atheletic sports. He pointed out for example, hat those who had the most to do with atheletics always lived longer than those who had nothing todo with them. The address throughout was both interesting and profitable.

The debate: "Resolved that the farmer is of more necessity than the manufacturer" was one of the most keenly contested debates of the series. The affirmative was very ably upheld by C.Bunn, F. McLaughlin and Miss McConnell and the negative by J. Donald. After a hard fought battle

the negative won by two points. Silas Griffis was appointed critic and look great care in pointing cut the

### The Creat Portland. The Portland Gold Mining Company

on the 14th of November last distributed a six-cent dividend to its share-The local branch of the C.M.B.A. 48, and arranging for a banquet at Biodeau's holders, this being the first dividend hotel at Norman about Christmas time, which the company has paid on its new plan of making quarterly distrib- Gardner Governor & Steam Pamp Co. J.A.M. Aikens, Q.C., of Winnipeg is utions instead of monthly, the change pense. The total amount which will N.W. Rowell a prominent harrister be sent to stockholders amounts to of Toronto's in town attending High \$180,000 and makes the total which the company has paid in dividends J. J. Robarts of Mulock & Roberts, 83,127,080. As the company is capitalized at \$3,000,000, the entire capitalized atlon is now considerably more than paid up and the great mine is still in

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D. A. Pender has been appointed receiver for the Premeer Steam Navigation Co., of Wabiggen.

Thes. Scott was in town from the Sultana mine Wednesday.

Mr. and Mes. Ashton Fife left vister day, via Wahnipeg and St. Paul. in a trip to the least. They will be away six weeks and will visit friends in Chic-W. H. Plummer, tried at the Sault assizes before Chief Justice Meredith. ago and their old home in eastern Out-

There is nothing a man appreciates so much for a Christmas present as a beautiful tie or a pair of braces. M. Nicholson has a splendid stock of the latest styles. See his collars, cuts, and general gents furnishings.

It is customary now with many of the leading papers to offer their subscribers premium pictures. If one judges the merits of the paper by the quality of the pictures offered them. qualitylof the pictures offered them, the Family Grand and Weckly Star, easily carries off the palm for filter pictures (this year. "Ethrist in the Temple," and "Home-From the War are certainly the most heautiful subjects and that hest workmanish ever before the public. "Gartainly no other

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line from Port Arthur to Prince Albert.

In a suit between J. B. Miller and

judgment was given Miller for \$12,500.

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arose out of the sale of the Bruce

Mines three years ago, to Lord Duglas, Miller claiming that he was entitled

the amount claimed on a contract he had with Plummer. Chronicle, Port

J.W. Humble has gone on a trip to

Mrs. R.H. Elaherty and family who have been at the Hilliard the past two

months, left Saturday evening for Port

Arthur, where Mr. Flaherty will have

Mr. Warren of the Sirder mine is in

Thro Breidenback, who has been in

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Miss McKinnon of the Gardner,

Rice, McLood Co. left Tuesday, for

Parkhill, Out having received word

H. A. C. Machin is among the re-

turning Canadian soldiers. He is expected to arrive here about Christmas.

A reception will be tendered him, and

at the 100 foot level is now about 65 feet and in excellent quartz. They

have obtained big results in the pan. J. A. Cameron, divisional superin-tendent of the C.P.R., Winnipeg, was

Mr. Blackeby, of Kingston, superin-

endent of agencies Odd Fellows' Re-

lief Association of Canada, was in

town last night and attended a meet-

ing of the society. He is returning from a three months trip to the west, and was pleased to find the order here

Wm. Mckreith arrived this week

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Judge Chapple, has been elected representative from R. P. Lodge No. 16 to the Grand Lodge of the A. O. U. W. which meets at Hamilton on the second Tuesday in February.

Judge Chapple has bought the res idence now occupied by him from

D. C. Cameron is being strongly urged to come out for Mayor.

Miss Gertie Scovil is visiting friends

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